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A chain of title of U.S. Patent No. 6,494,623, issued December 17, 2002, is shown in an assignment from inventors Michael E. Ahrens and Andreas H. Dannenberg to Infineon Technologies Fiber Optics GMBH recorded at Reel 012084, Frame 0167; an assignment from inventor Andreas Stockhaus to Infineon Technologies Fiber Optics GMBH recorded at Reel 016283, Frame 0061; and an assignment from Infineon Technologies Fiber Optics GMBH to Finisar Corporation recorded at Reel 017251, Frame 0753.